



**Membership Promotion – October 2023
Bulletin #2**

Veteran’s Day is approaching! How do you honor veterans for their sacrifices and legacy? That is an important question for all of us to think about. We joined this organization under the eligibility of a veteran which too is a great honor! All year long we should be remembering all veterans actively serving our country, retired veterans, and their families by saying **thank you!**

Our National Membership Ambassador Ansje Lanzing wrote that “membership **IS** the lifeblood of our organization.” How can we “Band together for our Veterans? Answer by actively promoting the Membership program by **RECRUITING, RETAINING, AND INCLUDING ALL MEMBERS.** This is the most valuable **thank you** we can make to our veterans!

This year we are using “Movies” as our promotional tool. Sherlock Holmes and his partner Dr. Watson has been busy in the Districts promoting membership!! As of October 5th, Washington has brought in 134 members (56 life, 1 life rejoin, 69 new annual and 8 rejoin annual members!) 347 members have paid their dues. Our state percentage is 84.87%. Sherlock and Dr. Watson are proud investigators and promoters!

District Standings as of 9/30/23:

Group I			
D7	D14	D2	
140 Members	168 Members	170 Members	
82.96 %	76.31 %	89.82 %	
Group II			
D16	D6	D1	D4
303 Members	436 Members	398 Members	455 Members
66.90 %	87.13 %	83.93 %	93.57 %
Group III			
D11	D15	D17	
710 Members	765 Members	886 Members	
95.27 %	88.83 %	74.04 %	
Group IV			
D3	D9	D5	
1147 Members	1212 Members	1299 Members	
85.61 %	79.58 %	82.88 %	

The highlighted Districts have the highest membership percentage in their group. Thank you for your time and effort promoting VFW Auxiliary membership. Remember President Rose Green's theme "Do it for those who can't." With a strong membership base, we can better serve our veterans.

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